

TOPICS

Bowen Relief Run July 29
Brain Camp 2017
Retirement & Celebration Functions

RELIEF RUN – The Bowen Relief Run Committee hosts a fundraiser and awareness campaign for War Child Canada on Saturday, July 29 at Bowen Park. All proceeds from the event will go directly to War Child, with its current focus on the state of famine in South Sudan where there are 100,000 people at immediate risk of starvation; 50,000 of them children. War Child is working with qualified local personnel to ensure the best use of different types of aid is directed to the areas which need it most.

Local organizations have joined in to make the Bowen Relief Run a fun and successful event. Partners include Harbour City FC, Fishing for Fun, OmTown Yoga and the Bee's Knees Community Café. More information about the event can be [found here](#).

Also, until the end of June, the Canadian government is matching donations to the famine relief fund. To find out more about the registered charity, War Child, visit warchild.ca.

BRAIN CAMP 2017 - Nanaimo Ladysmith Public Schools hosts Brain Camp 2017 – Jump Start Your Year! on Wednesday, August 30 from 8:30 a.m. until 3 p.m. This free event takes place at NDSS and includes an impressive line-up of sessions. Some sessions include:

- Diverse Student Voices Panel
- The Google Suite for Education Drive-in
- Formative Assessment
- Hands on Intro to FreshGrade (K-7 and 8-12)
- Applying Design Skills with Technology
- Primary Literacy

More information and how to register is available [here](#).

RETIREMENT FUNCTIONS – If you are planning a retirement event that you would like posted in NLPS News, please send it to communications@sd68.bc.ca.

- Staff from Coal Tyee would like to invite friends and colleagues to join them as they honour retiree **Rene Cusson** on **Wednesday, June 21** at the Tap House Restaurant from 4 p.m. until whenever. Please RSVP to Jill Williamson at 250-729-0450.

- Please join NDSS staff on **Friday, June 23** at Carlos O'Bryan's Neighbourhood Pub from 2 to 4 p.m as they honour retirees **Stephanie Robinson** and **Alain Schelder**.
- Join friends and colleagues of Dover Bay Secondary for a celebration honouring retiree **Lynn Brown** at the Longwood Brew Pub on **Thursday, June 29**. Drop by any time after 3:30 p.m. to celebrate with Lynn.
- Please join John Barsby staff as they honour retiree **Howard Mallett** at the Quarterway Pub on **Thursday, June 29** from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m.

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